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***GOVERNOR NAPOLITANO AUTHORIZES WAIVER ON USE OF  
CONVENTIONAL FUELS  
Enables service stations to begin selling other than "boutique" blends***

PHOENIX – Governor Janet Napolitano today authorized the distribution and sale of conventional blends of fuel in parts of Arizona that are usually required to sell a cleaner-burning blend of gasoline during the summer months. The waiver is being issued in conjunction with a U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) action in response to Hurricane Katrina, which has affected fuel supply in other parts of the country.

The waiver means that gas stations in the metro Phoenix area will be able to dispense conventional fuels in addition to Arizona Cleaner Burning Gasoline (AZCBG). Tank farms that house fuel transported to Valley retailers report that supplies of gas and diesel are at normal levels.

The waiver remains in effect until further notice.